

Terrance Lee Grimard Jr.

Biological Science Technician, Soil Microbiology and Biochemistry Laboratory Email: tgrimard@lbk.ars.usda.gov

Responsibilities:

I am responsible for the daily laboratory operations and procedures for research projects, which includes performing enzyme assays, microbial biomass C and N, and FAME analysis in soils. I am also responsible for the operation and maintenance of various laboratory equipments such as a Shimadzu TOC/TN analyzer, Beckman-Coulter spectrophotometer, and the 6890 Agilent Technologies Network GC-MIDI system.

Education:

12/2001 Bachelor of Science Degree, Biology - Natural Resource Management

Grand Valley State University

Allendale, Michigan

09/94-05/97 Engineering Graphics major

Western Michigan University

Kalamazoo, Michigan

01/94–09/94 General Studies

Kalamazoo Community College

Kalamazoo, Michigan

Skills:

- GIS/ArcView software
- Computer Programming (Visual Basic, C++)
- Computer Software such as Microsoft Word (i.e., Word, PowerPoint, Excel), SAS and Sigma Plot
- Experience with most methods, equipment, and chemicals used in laboratories for soil/crop research.

Military Decorations/Awards:

Good Conduct Award (2) Navy Battle "E" Ribbon Sea Service Deployment Ribbon (2) Meritorious Unit Commendation Enlisted Submarine Warfare Badge Navy Expeditionary Medal